

# **May, 2005 - Report on Upcoming International Invasive Species Meetings**

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## **I. SELECTED WEBSITES WITH INVASIVE SPECIES INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITY LISTINGS:**

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service	<a href="http://www.aphis.usda">http://www.aphis.usda</a>
Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation	<a href="http://www.apec.org/">http://www.apec.org/</a>
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/">http://www.cdc.gov/</a>
Commission for Economic Cooperation (NAFTA)	<a href="http://www.cec.org/home/index.cfm?varlan=english">http://www.cec.org/home/index.cfm?varlan=english</a>
Convention on Biological Diversity	<a href="http://www.biodiv.org/default.aspx">http://www.biodiv.org/default.aspx</a>
Global Invasive Species Programme	<a href="http://www.gisp.org">http://www.gisp.org</a>
International Civil Aviation Organization	<a href="http://www.icao.int/">http://www.icao.int/</a>
International Maritime Organization	<a href="http://www.imo.org/index.htm">http://www.imo.org/index.htm</a>
International Plant Protection Convention	<a href="http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm">http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm</a>
National Invasive Species Council	<a href="http://www.invasivespecies.gov/">http://www.invasivespecies.gov/</a>
National Plant Board (U.S.A)	<a href="http://www.aphis.usda.gov/npb/">http://www.aphis.usda.gov/npb/</a>
North American Plant Protection Organization	<a href="http://www.nappo.org/">http://www.nappo.org/</a>
Pacific Region Environmental Programme	<a href="http://www.sprep.org.ws/">http://www.sprep.org.ws/</a>
The World Conservation Union	<a href="http://www.issc.org/">http://www.issc.org/</a>
Trilateral Committee for Wildlife & Ecosystem Conservation and Management	<a href="http://www.trilat.org/">http://www.trilat.org/</a>
World Aquaculture Society	<a href="http://www.was.org/main/Default.asp">http://www.was.org/main/Default.asp</a>
World Organization for Animal Health	<a href="http://www.oie.int/eng/en_index.htm">http://www.oie.int/eng/en_index.htm</a>

## **II. FUTURE INTERNATIONAL INVASIVE SPECIES ACTIVITIES:**

**2-6 May, 2005 - Australasian Vertebrate Pest Conference** - Wellington, New Zealand - Australia and New Zealand meeting which covers vertebrate pest management issues - invasive species is a major issue for the meeting. Contact: [www.landcareresearch.co.nz/news/conferences/vertebratepest/](http://www.landcareresearch.co.nz/news/conferences/vertebratepest/)

**3-6 May, 2005 IPPC IPP Capacity Building Workshop/Training** - Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

**5-6 May, 2005 - International Workshop: Biological Invasions in Inland Waters** - Florence, Italy - Contact: <http://www.dbag.uniti.it> (Click on Eventi).

**8-11 May, 2005, Symposium on Trophic and Guild Internations in Biological Control** - joint meeting of teh IOBC Nearctic Regional Section and the Biocontrol Network of Canada - Magog, QUE, Canada - Contact: [biocontrol-network@umontreal.ca](mailto:biocontrol-network@umontreal.ca)

**9-13 May, 2005, 2<sup>nd</sup> FAO/IAEA International Conference on Area-Wide Control of Insect Pests: Integrating the Sterile Insect and Related Nuclear and Other Techniques** - Vienna, Austria - Organized by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations and the International Atomic Energy Agency -- Contact: <http://www-pub.iaea.org/MTCD/Meetings/Announcements.asp?ConfID=131>

**9-13 May, 2005, World Aquaculture 2005** - Nusa Dua, Bali, Indonesia - Contact: <http://www.was.org/main/Default.aspx>

**10 May, 2005, 57<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Crop Protection** - Coupure Links, Gent, Belgium - Contact: [Kris.DeJonghe@ugent.be](mailto:Kris.DeJonghe@ugent.be).

**16-20 May, 2005 -- CBD Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group meeting on CBD Invasive Alien Species (gaps and inconsistencies)**-Auckland, New Zealand - Contact: <http://www.biodiv.org/default.aspx>

**23-27 May, 2005 - IPPC IPP Capacity Building Workshop (Pacific)** -Suva,Fiji -- Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

**23-27 May, 2005, IPPC Post-entry quarantine facilities expert working group meeting.** Clermont Ferrand, France. Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

**24-27 May, 2005, 1<sup>st</sup> Brazilian Symposium on Invasive Alien Species** - Brasilia, Brazil - Contact: [http://institutohorus.org.br/trabalhosa\\_simposio\\_eei\\_eng.htm](http://institutohorus.org.br/trabalhosa_simposio_eei_eng.htm) or [infosimposio@institutohorus.org.br](mailto:infosimposio@institutohorus.org.br)

**24-27 May, 2005, Meeting of the Canada/Mexico/US Trilateral Committtee for Wildlife & Ecosystem Conservation and Management** - Zacatecas, Mexico - Invasive Species on the agenda - Contact: <http://www.trilat.org/>

**25-27 May, 2005, Invasive Plants in the Mediterranean Type Regions of the World** - Montpellier, France - Co-organized by The Conservatoire Botanique National Mediterraneen, the World Conservation Union Centre for Mediterranean Cooperation and the Council of Europe and the European and Mediterranean Plant Protection Organization - Contact: <http://www.ame-lr.org/workshop>

**6-10 June, 2005, IPPC Expert Working Group on Debarking meeting** - Oslo, Norway, Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

**6-10 June, 2005, International Conference on Current Issues on the Integrated management of Insect Pests and Disease Vectors in Africa** - Accra, Ghana - Contact: <http://www.icipe.org/aais/>

**9-11 June, 2005, Introduction and Spread of Invasive Species: An International British Crop Protection Council (BCPC) Symposium** - Berlin, Germany. Contact: [www.bcpcc.org/invasive](http://www.bcpcc.org/invasive)

**12-16 June, 2005, 13<sup>th</sup> International Sclerotinia Workshop** - Monterey, California - Contact: STKoike@ucdavis.edu.

**14-15 June, 2005, NAPPO Potato Panel Meeting** - Colorado Springs, Colorado - Contact: <http://www.nappo.org/>

**15-17 June, 2005 - The Prevention and Control of Zoonoses: from Science to Policy** - Liverpool, UK - Contact: [www.hpa-zoonosesconference.org.uk](http://www.hpa-zoonosesconference.org.uk)

**19-24 June, 2005 ASLO's A Pilgrimage through Global Aquatic Sciences** -- Santiago de Compostela, Spain - Contact: <http://www.aslo.org/meetings/santiago2005/index.html>

**20-23 June, 2005, Thirteenth Symposium European Weed Research Society** - Bari, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ewrs-symposium.com>

**28-29 June, 2005. NAPPO Grapevine Panel meeting** -- Mexico City, Mexico - Contact: <http://www.nappo.org/>

**11-15 July, 2005 CBD Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group meeting on Marine and Coastal Biodiversity** - Montreal, Canada - Contact: <http://www.biodiv.org/default.aspx>

**12-13 July, 2005 - NAPPO Fruit Panel Meeting** - Quebec City, Canada - Contact: <http://www.nappo.org/>

**12-14, July, 2005, Second International Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Symposium** - Madison, Wisconsin - Contact: <http:// cwd-infor.org>

**15-19, July, 2005, 19th Annual Meeting of the Society for Conservation Biology** - Brasilia, Brazil -- Invasive species is on the agenda for presentations. Contacts: <http://www.scb2005.unb.br/registration.htm>

**16-20 July, 2005 -- 28<sup>th</sup> World Veterinary Congress.** Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA. Contact: [wvc2005@avma.org](mailto:wvc2005@avma.org)

**18-22 July, 2005 - Fifty-third session of the IMO Marine Environment Protection Committee** - London, UK, Contact: <http://www.imo.org/index.htm>

**25-27 July, 2005 -- Combating Bioterrorism: The Organizational Response** -- Cambridge, MA, Massachusetts Institute of Technology -- Contact: Sandy Weiner [sweiner@mit.edu](mailto:sweiner@mit.edu) Website: [http://professional.mit.edu/ApplicationFiles/web/WebFrame.cfm?web\\_id=382](http://professional.mit.edu/ApplicationFiles/web/WebFrame.cfm?web_id=382)

**25-29 July, 2005 -- CBD AD Hoc Technical Expert Group on the review of implementation of the Programme of Work on Forest Biodiversity** - Bonn, Germany - Contact: <http://www.biodiv.org/default.aspx>

**7-11 August, 2005, U.S. National Plant Board 2005 Annual Meeting** - Biloxi, Mississippi - Contact: <http://www.aphis.usda.gov/npb/>

**10-12 August, 2005 - Workshop on Molluscan Shellfish Safety: Integration of Science and Policy for Vibrios and Viruses** - Point Clear, Alabama - Contact: [http://www.masgc.org/issc\\_icmss](http://www.masgc.org/issc_icmss)

**19-20 August, 2005, Symposium of Diagnosis of Bee Diseases** - Dublin, Ireland - Contact: [wolfgang.ritter@cvuafr.bwl.de](mailto:wolfgang.ritter@cvuafr.bwl.de)

**21-24 August, 2005, International Agricultural/Environmental Conference** - Hilo, Hawaii - Contact: <http://www.dce.ksu.edu/dce/cong/ag&environment/>

**22-25 August, 2005, First International Conference on Health and Biodiversity** -- Galway, Ireland - Contact: [www.cohab2005.com](http://www.cohab2005.com)

**22-25 August, 2005, 14<sup>th</sup> World Veterinary Poultry Congress** - Istanbul, Turkey - Contact: <http://www.wvpc2005.org/>

**23-26 August, 2005 - Fourth International marine Bioinvasions Conference** - Wellington, New Zealand - Contact: Marnie Campbell, [marnie.campbell@maf.govt.nz](mailto:marnie.campbell@maf.govt.nz)

**29-31 August, 2005 - International Conference on Biological and Pro-Ecological Methods for Control of Diseases, Pests, and Weeds in Orchards and Small Fruit Plantations** - Warsaw, Poland - Contact:<http://www.pomocentre.insad.pl>.

**29 August to 2 September, 2005 IPPC 17<sup>th</sup> Technical Consultation among Regional Plant Protection Organizations** - Sao Paulo, Brazil - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

**5-8 September, 2005, 5<sup>th</sup> European Vertebrate Pest Management Conference** - Budapest, Hungary -- Contact: [www.5evpmc.com](http://www.5evpmc.com)

**5-12 September, 2005, Ecology and Management of Alien Plant Invasions (EMAPI) 8<sup>th</sup> annual meeting** - Katowice, Poland. EMAPI is ran by a steering committee currently made up of individuals from the USA, Great Britain, Czech Republic, Germany and Italy. Contact: [http://www.empi.us.edu.pl/invite\\_ok.php](http://www.empi.us.edu.pl/invite_ok.php)

**12-16 September, 2005, Second International Symposium on Biological Control of Arthropods** - Delemont, Switzerland - Contact: <http://www.cabi-bioscience.ch/ISBCA-DAVOS-2005/>

**18-22 September 2005 -- APEC Workshop to Address Invasive Alien Species** - Beijing, China -- Contact Point: Jeff Fisher [fisherjp@state.gov](mailto:fisherjp@state.gov)

**18-22 September, 2005, 8<sup>th</sup> Conference of the OIE Regional Commission for Middle East.** Manama, Bahrain Contact: [http://www.oie.int/eng/en\\_index.htm](http://www.oie.int/eng/en_index.htm)

**27 September - 1 October, 2005 Invasion of Alien Species in Holarctic (BOROK-2)** - Borok, Yaroslavl province, Russia - Contact: [www.sevin.ru/borok-2](http://www.sevin.ru/borok-2) or [www.ibiw.ru/conferences/Borok-2](http://www.ibiw.ru/conferences/Borok-2) (please note that I was not able to reach either of these websites on December 28, 2004).

**29-30 September, National Congress of Parasitology with International Participation: Parasites and Parasitoses in Humans, Animals, Plants and the Environment** -- Brasov/Poiana Brasov, Romania - Contact: Prof. Gh. Oteanu [dsvbv@rdslink.ro](mailto:dsvbv@rdslink.ro)

**2-7 October, 2005, Seventh International Symposium on Aphids** - Fremantle, Australia - Contact: <http://www.aphidssymposium.org>

**3-5 October, 2005, New Diagnostic Technology: Applications in Animal Health & Biologics Controls, Applications in disease surveillance, molecular epidemiology and quality control tests of vaccines** - Saint-Malo, France - Contact: [http://www.oie.int/eng/en\\_index.htm](http://www.oie.int/eng/en_index.htm)

**17-21 October, 2005 - NAPPO Annual Meeting** - Puerto Vallarta, Mexico - Contact: <http://www.nappo.org/>

**17 October, 2005 - NAPPO Phytosanitary Alert System Panel Meeting** - Puerto Vallarta, Mexico - Contact: <http://www.nappo.org/>

**23-27 October, 2005 - The First international Marine Protected Areas Congress** - Geelong, Australia -- This global conference will address the World Commission on Protected Areas' Marine goal and primary themes, and will progress discussion on their widespread adoption and implementation consistent with resolutions relevant to marine protected areas arising from the Durban World Parks Congress. Contact: <http://www.impacongress.org/>

**24-27 October, 2005 IPPC International Plant Health Risk Analysis Workshop** - Niagara Falls, Canada - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

**24-28 October, 2005, Second International Conference on Mites in Crops** - Montpellier, France - Contact: <http://www.afpp.net>

**24-28 October, 2005, International Conference on Lepidopterous Cereal Stem and COB Borers in Africa - Nairobi, Kenya - Contact: <http://www.icipe.org/iclcba/>**

**26-27 October, 2005, Seventh International Conference on Pests in Agriculture - Montpellier, France - Contact: <http://www.afpp.net>**

**31 October to 4 November, 2005, IPPC Standards Committee Working Group meeting -- Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>**

**7-8 November, 2005, The Biology of Vibrios: Biodiversity, Genomics, Disease/Epidemiology, Ecology, and Applications (Aquaculture) -- Ghent University, (Belgium) Contact: Peter Dawyndt Peter.Dawyndt@UGent.be**

**7-11 November, 2005, IPPC Standards Committee meeting - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>**

**7-11, November, 2005, 20<sup>th</sup> Asian-Pacific Weed Science Society Conference - Ho Chi Min City, Vietnam - Contact: [DuongVanChin@hcm.vnn.vn](mailto:DuongVanChin@hcm.vnn.vn)**

**28 November to 2 December, 2005, CBD --Eleventh meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice - Montreal, Canada - Contact: <http://www.biodiv.org/default.aspx>**

**5-9 December, 2005, IPPC Technical Panel to develop diagnostic protocols for specific pests - Penang, Malaysia - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>**

**8-12 January, 2006 Ecological Society of American's international conference on "Ecology in an Era of Globalization: Challenges and Opportunities for Environmental Scientists in the Americas". Merida, Yucatan, Mexico. Three sub-themes of which invasive species is one. Contact: <http://www.esa.org/mexico>**

**22-26 January 2006, Congress of the World Equine Veterinary Association -- Marrakech, Morocco - Contact: <http://www.weva2006.ma>**

**13-16 February, 2006, World Aquaculture Society, Aquaculture America '06 - Las Vegas, Nevada - Contact: <http://www.was.org/main/Default.asp>**

**25-30 March, 2006 International Veterinary Vaccine and Diagnostic Conference - Oslo, Norway - Contact: [http://www.oie.int/eng/en\\_index.htm](http://www.oie.int/eng/en_index.htm)**

**19-25 June, 2006 Latin American Botanical Congress (Invasive Species will be a major focus), Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic. Contact: Brian Boom, The New York Botanical Garden E-mail [bboom@nybg.org](mailto:bboom@nybg.org)**

**30 July to 5 August, 2006 - XV International Congress of the International Union for the Study of Social Insects - Sections of invasive social insects eg. ants, wasps etc. -- Washington DC - Contact: [www.iussi.org/IUSSI2006.html](http://www.iussi.org/IUSSI2006.html)**

**10-15 September, 2006, Seventh International Symposium on Fruit Flies of Economic Importance and 6<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Working Group on Fruit Flies on the Western Hemisphere - Salvador, Brazil - Contact: <http://www.fruitfly.com.br>**

**17-21 September, 2007, 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on the Ecology and Management of Alien Plant Invasions (EMAPi9) - Contact: [www.congresswest.com.au/emapi9/](http://www.congresswest.com.au/emapi9/)**

**15-18 October, 2007, Sixteenth International Plant Protection Congress - Glasgow, UK - Contact: <http://www.bcpa.org>**

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